



Cedarbank School

Newsletter

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Head Teacher's News

Dear Parents/ Carers,

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Celebrating Success event last Friday. Many of you will have seen the digital display of photographs that played during the event. We have put together a selection to give you a flavour of the work your children have been involved in over the last six months. I hope you enjoy looking through the photographs.

This year has been a very important year for Cedarbank . Finally, the three sites have come together and we have developed into one school community. The last year has involved a lot of change and transition for everyone but I am very proud of how the school community have managed this change and am extremely appreciative to you as parents and carers for your support.

We have one member of staff leaving us at the summer holiday - Louise Queen (DHT) . Miss Queen has made an outstanding contribution to Cedarbank school and has worked with the young people and families of the Senior phase for seven years. She is a very valued and respected member of our school community and we will miss her a great deal. Moving forward, the school will have one Depute – Mrs Alison Lindsay and two Principal Teachers – Miss Mendenhall and Mr Henderson. In the new school year I will write to you to share the key staff contacts for your child.

2022/23 has been a very successful year for Cedarbank. We started the year by winning the Children in Scotland, Inclusion Ambassadors' "Success Looks Different Award", then in November we achieved our silver Rights Respecting Schools status and just a few days ago we were awarded the Digital Wellbeing Award. We are delighted to have our work with online wellbeing and cyber resilience recognised.

Our work on sustainability and Rural skills has also developed this year. All S1-3 learners enjoy 4 periods of wider achievement, including outdoor learning. We were excited to achieve the Woodland Trust Green Tree Gold Award this year and our Senior pupils did an outstanding job in the school grounds, planting and growing their own fruit and vegetables. Their work was recognised by the Royal Horticultural Society.

It has been a very successful for our learners. I wish you all a relaxing, safe and well deserved holiday and look forward to welcoming our young people back to school on Tuesday the 15th of August.

Mrs Carol McDonald

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Confident Individuals

At Cedarbank we strive to ensure our pupils gain the knowledge, skills and attributes needed for life in the 21st century by developing them through the four capacities of Curriculum for Excellence.

Confident Individuals have a sense of physical, mental and emotional well-being, self respect, and secure values and beliefs, while being able to: use literacy, communication and numeracy skills, use technology for learning, and learn independently and as part of a group.

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 16
These learners had a nice time visiting the Kelpees and Helix Park this week, too! What a busy week we have all had! #schooltrip #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 14
Day 2 of the fun in the sun at camp. Dinner time now!



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 13
First day at camp, lots of fun activities in the sun. Everyone is really tired now!!



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 9
A job well done to our @FixityArts performers. They have put on two shows this week at @HowdenPark. We had a brilliant time watching your hard work! #confidentindividuals #brna



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 9
S2B had a great time learning about grilling using charcoal and really enjoyed tasting a few new things! Of course, all good grilling sessions end with toasted marshmallows! #grilling #HFT #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 9
Some of the fantastic felt plushies designed and created by S3 pupils. What a great range of individual characters they have made as part of their Textiles rotation. #textiles #design #creativity #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 8
More of our English pupils have prepared and given talks for their peers. #confidentindividuals #skillsforlife



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 6
This S3 learner displayed confidence when presenting about her favourite singer. Well done! #confidentindividual



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 31
S2B are really enjoying using Sphero bots in Digital skills. They are getting more confident at drawing shapes and navigating Sphero around obstacles. #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 30
S2 are learning lots of different multiplication strategies. We had fun using line multiplication yesterday which tested our problem solving skills well done to our resilient #confidentindividuals for persevering! #resilience



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 29
Last week 1B researched people they have chosen from the book we are studying. They have shared their thoughts with the class. It's been so lovely to hear who and what inspires you! Well done! #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 29
1A had a lovely time learning how to tie-dye during Wider Achievement. @ASDANeducation #OutdoorLearning #ConfidentIndividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 24
So proud of our 2 well-being champs who represented Cedarbank at the ASN schools mini champ meeting. They shared how we promote well-being in Cedarbank. Praise postcards, fruit at break and outdoor time were all mentioned! #confidentindividuals #healthandwellbeing



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 23
A lot of creativity and imagination used by a pupil in 1B today. During soft start, he built this masterpiece and displayed quite a bit of problem solving skills while doing so. #skills #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - May 18
S1B have learned about the processes involved in game design. They worked hard to create their own super heroes/ super villains and develop themes for their levels. Today they enjoyed sharing their final designs with each other. #confidentindividuals #digschoolsaward



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 3
S1 have been busy making their own pencil pots in CD. This pupil is particularly proud of his design. Well done! #confidentindividuals #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 28
What a fabulous assembly - our 3B pupils confidently read, lead groups and helped pupils choose a book!
We heard how kind words help us and pupils wrote compliments for others.
We learned how reading can calm us and help us distress.
#confidentindividuals #assembly #welldone



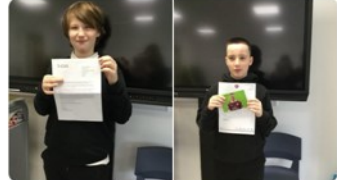
Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 25
S1 are busy learning to use different strategies to support their understanding of multiplication. #wlnumeracy #confidentindividuals #successfullearners



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 25
A member of 1A has invented a game to help with some literacy skills. Here he is teaching a classmate and a member of staff how to play. Excellent job! #creativity #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 18
Members of 1B wrote letters to someone they admired before the Easter holidays. These lovely replies were waiting for them when they came back. How wonderful! #confidentindividuals #mail



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 31
A massive thank you to the grandmother of one of our S6 learners for creating and donating this lovely Easter gift. All who completed the scavenger hunt today were entered into a raffle to win. This learner was very excited his number was picked! #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 24
S3 did a great job this morning of dissecting daffodils and seeds this morning. They confidently and safely used equipment that they had not used before. Well done folks! #STEM #gardeningworld #herbiology #confidentlearners #newskills #curiosity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23
S1A have had lots of fun this morning learning about the importance of hygiene. We learned how soap works and how to wash our faces, explored different hygiene products and discussed the importance of washing different parts of our bodies. #confidentindividuals #skillsforlife



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23
Our Animal Care classes had a very special visitor today - Chill the Rabbit! #confidentindividuals #ASDANeducation



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 15
S1A have been learning about odd and even numbers. We worked together to play some games to help us feel confident with our learning. What a team! #confidentindividuals #numeracy #teamwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 15
Having extracted DNA earlier in the week, senior Sciences were looking at different models. The edible model was the most successful of the ones tried! #experimental #scienceweekUK



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 14
It looks like a green mess, but it is our senior sciences class extracting DNA from kiwi fruit 🥝. This molecule connects us to all other living things. Isn't that amazing? #BSW23 #scienceweekUK



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 2
National 4 chemistry and NPA horticulture students learned about the chemistry of ceramics and then added spider plants previously propagated by the horticulture class. #ruralskills #nature #activelearning #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 3
2B Reading, Writing, Listening and Talking, using French to order food and drinks in a café. Très bien!! #scottishclt #languageskills #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 24
1B used their creativity to produce some interesting natural land art sculptures. #creativity #inspirebynature



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 27
What a great week in Music! Our National pupils displaying some of our School values #achievement #confidence #independence by learning full songs in a lesson. 🎵 🇬🇧



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 10
3C preparing for their sustainability assembly. Some very good ideas being discussed #thisisits #sustainability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 10
Some fun maths work earlier this week. Using edible objects to measure the circumference of a circle. No eating took place before measuring! #numeracy



Effective Contributors

Effective Communicators have an enterprising attitude, resilience, self reliance while being able to: communicate in different ways and different settings, work in partnership and in teams, take the initiative and lead, create and develop, and solve problems.



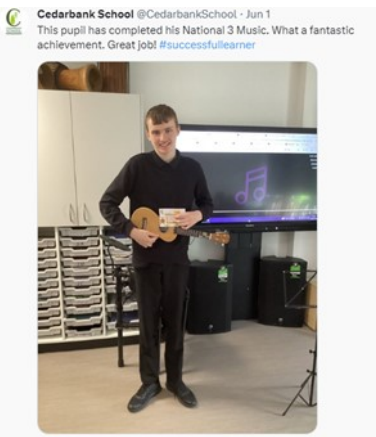
Responsible Citizens

Responsible citizens have respect for others, and a commitment to participate responsibly in political, economic, social and cultural life, while being able to: develop knowledge and understanding of the world and Scotland's place in it, and make informed choices and decisions.



Successful Learners

Successful Learners have enthusiasm and motivation for learning, determination to reach high standards of achievements, and openness to new thinking and ideas while being able to: relate to others and manage themselves, pursue a healthy and active lifestyle, be self aware, live as independently as they can, and achieve success in different areas of activity.



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
Here is some more amazing work from our S4 CDT pupils.
#successfuller #creativity #skillsforwork

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 11
S1A are continue to practice their numeracy skills with multi-sensory resources. We have been working hard on our multiplication and addition skills in class this week
#successfuller #activelearning

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 3
Smiles from our young people showing off successful hand printing designs. #artanddesign #successfuller

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 27
Some of 2A have completed their shelves in CDT. What fantastic work
#skillsforlife #craftsmanship #successfuller

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 25
A couple of final edits to photographs by one of our S5 learners. He has now completed all of his units for NPA Photography level 4, well done. He is also really looking forward to progressing to level 5 next year.
#photography #successfuller #achievement

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 24
While dissecting daffodils, S3 were using their numeracy skills and recognising patterns. Six petals, six anthers and the trumpet has a hexagon shape. #numeracyacrossthecurriculum #successfuller #STEM #wizaringworld #metbiology

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23
In BGE Sciences, student have been predicting which seeds would germinate first - a big seed or a little seed. They've been watching them grow for the last week. They'd love to tell you about it. #STEM #IDL #wizaringworld #bigseedvsow

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23
While we wait for our seeds to grow, BGE science classes have been dissecting flowers to find out how seeds are made. #STEM #IDL #wizaringworld #successfuller

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 22
We would like to show off this fabulous hat design by our NPA Costume learner. He has designed it for a performer in a music video. Fantastic visual impact! #Successfuller #MillineryMagic

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 17
Senior pupils were having fun, and applying science when creating marbled papers and also papers with ink dilution this week in Art and Design. #art #successfuller

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 17
Building #BSW23 #connections between year groups 3C were leading their #YoungSTEMLeader activity today as part of #ScienceWeekUK. They did a great job leading their challenge of designing paper planes to fly at least five metres #STEM

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 16
BGE have been Investigating Fabulous Fingerprints. They were investigating which method was the best way to see them. They tried foil, pencil and chalk. #BSW #ScienceWeekUK

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 16
2B have started their investigation into sustainable soap. Is bar soap better than liquid soap? They have to wait a few days for the results #BSW23 #ScienceWeekUK

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 14
1A investigating how they can work out what is in a tin can if the label is missing. They listened to the contents and rolled them down a slope. They made great predictions and successfully identified the contents of each can. #problemsolving #successfuller

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 3
Our Senior Phase French class looked at the Monsieur/Madame (Mr. Men) genre of books and had fun translating words and phrases from the stories for World Book Day @WorldBookDayUK #literacy #funwithfrench

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 27
Senior phase Biology have been working on a model to show what happens during mitosis (cell division). Great piece of work everybody! #biology #activelearning

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 8
This science learner researched the natural resources of water and wood on Earth and how we can be sustainable... #lookingafterourplanet #thisisits @LSSScotland

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 7
1A are focussing really hard and are very engaged in their music class @LoveWestLothian #successfuller #confidence

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 9
In S3, after using numeracy skills understanding symmetry and asymmetry in design, learners are now having fun applying colour in their Digital Art project. #numeracy #transferableskills

Learning for Sustainability and Learning Outdoors

Learning for sustainability permeates throughout our curriculum and all pupils are given opportunities to consider how to make more sustainable decisions about how to live their life. Embedded within this is our outdoor learning opportunities which enable us to gain and appreciation and respect for nature and the environment.



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 The National Admin and IT class plotted out a walk using Google Maps and then tried it out to see how accurate it was. #OutdoorClassroomDay #GoogleMaps #AdminAndIT



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 Class 2A enjoyed playing French Petanque today. Super blent! #OutdoorClassroomDay #funlearning



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 We are having fun in textiles while preparing old t-shirts to make our own yarn. A big thanks to Mr S and his wife for his donating t-shirts for our sustainability project. #learningforsustainability #learningisfun



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 17
 Top Gardening skills displayed by this S3 student. #enthusiasm #outdoorlearning #DYW #skillsforwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 9
 S3 made healthier baked nachos, vegetarian chilli topped with spring onions and herbs from our very own Cedarbank garden. All declared the chilli to be yummy- some of it made it home- others enjoyed it as a healthy snack at break time! #fieldofork #sustainability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 28
 Little squares of patchwork happiness will soon be made into travel neck pillows. Sustainable textiles in action. #learningforsustainability #textiles



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 28
 1A have started preparations for their café in May! The theme is Good to Grow! #learningforsustainability #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 3A enjoyed a nice walk to the Froggy Pond and played games while there today. This learner is the SNAP champion! #OutdoorClassroomDay



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 English 2 were using iPads to take interesting pictures, then turning them into Pic Collages, or iMovie trailers when we got back to school. #OutdoorClassroomDay #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 Today is Outdoor Classroom Day! We are so excited to celebrate in our lessons today - stay tuned for some lovely photos! #OutdoorClassroomDay #outdoorlearning #learningforsustainability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 10
 Fashion and Textile pupils in various stages of progress with their patchwork travel pillows. Great consolidation of skills shown by these young people, and sustainability in action. #learningforsustainability #textiles #skillsforlife #skillsforwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 9
 Look at the amazing wooden plaque that arrived today. We are so proud! @WoodlandTrust #learningforsustainability #responsiblecitizens #gcs



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 3
 Yesterday, our staff all made pledges to be eco-friendly to make Cedarbank more sustainable! #learningforsustainability #ecofriendly #staff



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 S2 have looked at what technologies of the future might look at. They have chosen an issue that they would like to address and worked hard to create their own design for a technology that might have a positive impact on our environment. Well done S2! #learningforsustainability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
 Our senior music class used the outdoors to inspire creativity. They had fun learning the song 'Let It Go' in our new school gazebo #outdoorlearning #OutdoorClassroomDay



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 17
 Fashion and textiles have been busy lately with creating patchwork travel pillows and one learner has made an embroidered sampler celebrating diversity. #textiles #diversity #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 17
 1B enjoyed some pond dipping at the Froggy Pond during their outdoor learning lesson. They saw lots of interesting things and the magnifying glasses were the favourite piece of equipment! #outdoorlearning

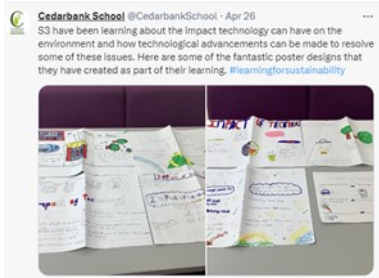


Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 3
 This Green Gardener has special Tadpole caring duties. Fabulous! #RHSSchools #OutdoorLearning #LearningForSustainability #ConfidentIndividual #PupilLeadership



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 28
 2B pulled up and tasted the most delicious early crop of carrot and helped Mr McDermott to propagate some mint. We also looked after our tiny seedlings in the new polytunnel: spinach, peas, kale, calabrese, carrots, parsley, lettuce and tomatoes. #fieldofork #DL #Sustainability





Skills for Life

In addition to developing the four capacities, Cedarbank strives to equip out pupil with the Skills for Life, Learning and Work to enable them to take an active part in society once they move on. Skills for Life are core skills required to enable learners to make meaningful contributions to their own



Skills for Learning

Skills for Learning are thinking skills which will encourage the deep learning learners can apply in real-life and relevant situations.


Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 16
Tuna in textiles??? 1B were using their numeracy skills by making their own pattern pieces for a Minecraft textile piece which they designed digitally. Tuna cans are used as weights when marking fabric #numeracy #minecraft #textiles #tuna



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 23
What a beautiful colour this pupil had chosen for her shelf. Amazing work! #skillsforlearning #teandwork #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 11
This 2A pupils had a fantastic day yesterday - especially in CDT and French. Here he is showing off his 3 praise postcards! Well done! #successfullearner #values



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 11
S1 developing thinking skills in Social Subjects by creating their own superheroes. #thinking #skills #fun



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 26
This S3 learner demonstrated their impressive research skills compiling a fact file all about Mexico. Buen trabajo! #skillsforlearning #successfullearner



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 20
2B have been working hard on Information Handling in Maths. Of course, this meant playing some minute to win it games to gather information to graph. Great fun for all! #activelearning #maths #learningisfun



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 29
Our 3B pupils made their own Jam today in Wider Achievement. It made the entire school smell amazing! #Skillsforlearning #thinking #employability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 14
1A have been thinking about brain connections as part of #BSW23. We have used meditation, watched an animation about the power of positive mindset, completed neuroplasticity exercises to help us to focus and completed some memory activities to get our brains working. Lots of fun!



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 13
2A doing the Sustainable solution practical. They're investigating whether liquid soap is better than bar soap for their #BSW23 @ScienceWeekUK. They're unlocking their 'Curious and Patient' skills



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 27
Learners in S5 were enjoying the process of hand printing their own designs - using tools and processes confidently, and in a planned order, to make successful outcomes. Well done! #skillsforlearning #teandwork #thinkingskills



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 27
BGE are getting ready to start their next Science topic: The Wizarding World, which links in with their English lessons. To help them make their potions, they have been using their problem solving skills and creativity to make their own wands! #crosscurricular #creativity



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · 16 Jun
Learners worked in pairs today to create short animations. This short introduction process will allow them to take their learning of 'frames per second' and 'onion skinning' to their next creative project. Good start everyone. #creativechallenge



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 6
The DYW pupil group had a big skills conversation. They discussed keep skills #thinking #teamwork #skillsforlearning #teandwork @WLCDYW



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · 18 May
Our senior music class used the outdoors to inspire creativity. They had fun learning the song 'Let It Go' in our new school gazebo #outdoorlearning #OutdoorClassroomDay



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · 25 Apr
S1 are busy learning to use different strategies to support their understanding of multiplication. #winumercy #confidentindividuals #successfullearners



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · 20 Mar
S2A are developing their numeracy skills by learning different ways to solve multiplication problems. They have been using their teamwork skills and showing how good they are at being #effective contributors. Well done S2!



Skills for Work

Skills for Work are the 'softer' employability skills which are valued highly by employers and are key to success in the world of work and, in addition, the skills and experiences gained through our work Developing the Young Workforce.

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 18
Introducing a fabulous fashion bag designed and manufactured in Fashion & Textiles by this pupil. She is 'In the pink' with her chosen fashion trend 'On Safari' #skillsforlearning#feandwork #talenteveryday @WLCDYW @LoveWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 13
NPA Photography learners are getting to grips with lighting equipment. They demonstrated good interpersonal skills while working with others by carouseling roles of lighting technician, photographer and model #skillsforlearning#feandwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Jan 20
2A students demonstrating leadership skills by teaching the class - and Miss Galloway - how to use paint 3D #leadershipskills #skillsforlearning#feandwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 31
Pupils in the Senior Phase gave some great advice about interviews in the Employability assembly yesterday morning! #DYW #SkillsforLife #Employability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 25
This S3 pupil completed work using a variety of tools and equipment in his lesson this morning and even helped his peers. #skillsforwork #confidence #successforalllearners



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 18
Photography learners are really focused with their self-led mini studio lightbox activities in class. We are really looking forward to seeing their editing skills. #photography #skillsforwork #DYW



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 11
3B doing a terrific job installing our new pond! #Skills #Teamwork #Employability



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 19
38 pupils doing a fabulous job installing a new pond! #creativity #employability #outdoorlearning



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · May 9
The HFT class were busy making piped biscuits to mark the royal occasion - some used crown templates to cut around (a fiddly job!) and others piped jewelled crowns and celebratory shapes and swirls on round cut out biscuits. All so colourful and creative! #skillsforwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Apr 17
This young man successfully drafted his own pattern for a bodice, complete with darts. A great demonstration of using his numeracy skills to make a technical pattern. His mockup is evidence his drafting skills were the correct scale. Well done! #numeracy #textiles #dyw



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 16
3A have explored the skills required for both Scientists and Artists this week for British Science Week. @ScienceWeekUK #BSW23 #skillsforlife



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 28
Rural skills in a real life context. Our learners helped prepare the foundations for our new hut. Fantastic work by all! #skillsforwork #outdoorlearning



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 14
The winning DYW door is... 3CI Well done 🏆 The judges liked the colourful display, the use of alliteration, the use of the word 'journey' and the illustrations which show a pathway @WLCDYW #pathways #nowrongpath



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 13
Our Course Choice Market Place took place last week for pupils and families who are choosing their courses for next session @WLCDYW #personalsationandchoice #pathways #responsibletizens @LoveWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 13
We had lots of fun at our lively DYW assemblies last week - great ideas from all of our pupils - well done everybody! @WLCDYW #skillsforlearning#feandwork #actviceslearning



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 10
HFT classes have been looking at careers and discussed the top 10 current women in the food industry #WWD2023 #hospitality





Learning with the Community and Celebrating Wider Achievements

Learning with our community allows us to deepen the links made within subjects, helps with our Delivering the Young Workforce agenda, and include parents/carers and partner organisations in our learning. Whether it is utilising provisions off site or bringing partners in to the school, we welcome the opportunities provided for our community and hope we broaden the understanding of the needs of our pupils to others.

We also love to celebrate the successes of our pupils and staff outside of the school day, whether that is a sporting achievement, an award, or just learning in a different context at home.





Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · 27 Mar

One of our S4 learners had a display of her beautiful art this past weekend. Fantastic work! #widerachievement #confidentindividual #artist



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 27

This gymnast won silver on beam and bronze on floor at the British Disability Masters Championships! What an incredible achievement! #talented #widerachievements #celebratingsuccess



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23

A few more photos of our young people enjoying their visit with Chillii the Rabbit in Animal Care. @ASDANeducation #fun



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 23

This learner proudly showed everyone her Duke Of Edinburgh award. A fantastic achievement! 🎉



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 22

Our young people demonstrating confidence, independence and resilience in Bikeability today. @BikeabilityUK. #HealthAndWellbeing #OutdoorLearning



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 20

This young lady has been working hard on her painting skills in her Art classes out of school. Thank you for sharing your excellent work! Well done! #skills #artistic #widerachievement



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 17

Our S3 ASDAN Gardening classes had a wonderful visit from Mo, RHS Community Outreach Advisor. She told us all about different careers in Horticulture, gave great advice and lots of funny stories. I #BSW23 #DYW #careersadvice @BritishScienceUK @RHSSchools @ASDANeducation



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 16

More swimming medals from the weekend - Gold, Silver and Bronze! Congratulations!!! 🏆 #confidentindividuals #personalachievement



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 8

Animal Care learners enjoyed a visit to Saughland Farm this morning to find out about working with livestock. We were lucky enough to see some lambs that were born last week! @TheRHET @WLCDYW #skillsforlifeforleandwork @ASDANeducation @SRUC



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 10

A big thank you to @Scotambiservice for their visit to Cedarbank this morning as part of our DYW week @WLCDYW @DYWWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 14

A bronze, silver and gold medal for this pupil in her swimming competition at the weekend - congratulations!! 🏆 #confidentindividuals #widerachievement



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 6

18 were at the centre this morning finding out about jobs. We also spent our World book day tokens! One pupil did an excellent job of interviewing a shop assistant in Schuh and the class also talked to people working in Specsavers and Lush @DYWWestLothian #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 6

Fair trade fortnight! We walked to local shops to see if we could find Fairtrade goods..... We will now write to the shops with our findings @FairtradeUK #skillsforlearningandwork @EdScottJIS #responsibletcitizens



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Mar 7

S3A pupils worked with Alison from SDS this afternoon. They completed group challenges to practice making decisions. Well done 3A! @WLCDYW #successfulearners #confidentindividuals #problemsolving



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool · Feb 24

An exciting morning for us all as we welcomed our guests to Cedarbank Official Opening. Thank you to Councillor Maguire for opening our school and well done to all our learners for their contributions. We look forward to sharing the professional photos soon @LoveWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 9
 The NPA Professional Cookery class visited West Lothian College this afternoon to further develop their skills @WestLoCollege @JamesYoungHS #skillsforlearning#feandwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 7
 The Hard Landscapers were busy this morning discussing plans and getting the job done 🧡 #skillsforlearning#feandwork @SRUC



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 6
 We saw some fabulous photos by @FireflyArts from their end of workshop show posted on Facebook when they worked with our BGE pupils. We are really looking forward to seeing another performance after the current Senior Phase workshops #creativity #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 1
 Thank you to all the employers who came along to our Equality and Diversity event this morning. And also to our school captains and @wipinewood who spoke about the skills they have developed during work-based opportunities 🧡 @WLCDYW @DYWWestLothian @LoveWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 3
 Smashing personal goals @personalbest_uk yesterday 🧡



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 2
 A big thank you to @firelivingston for their visit this afternoon. 1A had a great time learning about all the different roles in the fire service @WLCDYW @DYWWestLothian @LoveWestLothian #skillsforlearning#feandwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 1
 Replying to @CedarbankSchool



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 20
 We are so proud of this amazing gymnast who won yet another competition last weekend. Scottish Senior Women's Overall Champion Gold Medals: Vault, Bars, Beam, Floor and overall Gold and Trophy 🧡 What an achievement!! #widerachievement @scottishgymnastics @LoveWestLothian



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Feb 1
 Cedarbank are absolutely delighted to receive their Silver Rights Respecting Schools award 🧡 #pupilsvoice #rnsa @UNICEF



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jan 23
 The Practical Cookery class are going to be making bread from scratch using RHET resources. Grow, harvest and cook. This is the first step - preparing the ground to sow the seeds! Watch the space to follow our progress @TheRHET #growyourownloaf @EdScottLIS #thisislife



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jan 26
 Earlier this week, our S6 learners made beautiful strawberry tarts. Look at the amazing skill displayed! #skillsforwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jan 10
 What a transformation!! Well done to these pupils who are working on the Walled Garden @Cyrenians1968 🧡



Farewell to our S6

At the end of May we bade farewell to our S6s with a week of activities culminating in the S6 Leaver's ceremony on the Friday afternoon. Good luck to you all, we are missing you already.

Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 2
 S6 enjoyed a day at @BairDrummondSP yesterday! #outdoorlearning #schooltrip



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 2
 Earlier this week, our S6 learners made beautiful strawberry tarts. Look at the amazing skill displayed! #skillsforwork



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 1
 These S6 pupils were up for the creative challenge of making sculptures. All showed employability skills of being self motivated, working under pressure, having the ability to learn and adapt. Great job! #creativity #confidentindividuals



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 1
 S6 completed sculptures of dragonflies/damselflies and photos of work in progress. We also thought about sustainability when creating the wings, as learners used aluminum drinks cans! #learningforsustainability #creativitychallenge



Cedarbank School @CedarbankSchool - Jun 2
 Replying to @CedarbankSchool
 Even more pictures of the fun had by all! #SafariPark





Reminder

Make sure you sign up to twitter to keep up to date throughout the year— follow @cedarbankschool



School Uniform

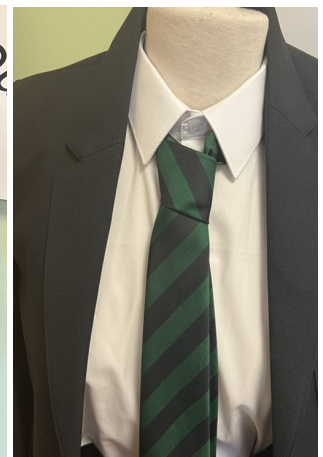
We would like to remind parents/carers of our current school uniform

S1-S3

- Black trousers or black skirt
- Plain black cardigan/ jumper or black blazer
- White/ black shirt or white/black polo shirt
- School tie
- Plain black shoes

S4-S6

- Black trousers or black skirt
- Plain Black cardigan/ jumper
- Black blazer
- White/ Black shirt
- School tie
- Plain black shoes



If you do not have a school tie or blazer badge please contact the office.

